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Sir:

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE
TO THE JUNE 4, 2007 OFFICE ACTION AND
PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2007 issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the Office Action was due September 4, 2007. A one month extension of time for responding to the Office Action is hereby requested. The required fee for the one-month extension of time is ONE HUNDRED TWENTY DOLLARS (\$120.00) for large entity. Applicants hereby authorize the Patent Office to charge including the amount of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0306. A response to the Office Action with one-month extension of time is now due October 4, 2007. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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